## **State of South Dakota**

## EIGHTIETH SESSION LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 2005

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## SENATE AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES COMMITTEE ENGROSSED NO. $SB\ 117$ - 02/01/2005

Introduced by: Senators McNenny, Hansen (Tom), Hundstad, Kloucek, and Lintz and Representatives Jensen, Brunner, Davis, Dykstra, Fryslie, Olson (Ryan), Pederson (Gordon), and Tidemann

- 1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to provide for the development and implementation of
- 2 certain animal identification programs to maintain animal health and ensure the safety of the
- 3 food supply.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
- 5 Section 1. That chapter 40-3 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as
- 6 follows:
- 7 The Animal Industry Board may develop and implement specific programs for the
- 8 identification of animals and premises involved in animal movements. Any program
- 9 implemented pursuant to this Act shall provide for confidentiality of identification records other
- than those records requested by law enforcement officers of the state and those records used for
- 11 mandatory disease control or eradication efforts.
- Any identification program implemented pursuant to this Act shall be for the sole purpose
- of maintaining animal health and ensuring the safety of the food supply.
- Section 2. That chapter 40-3 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as



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- 2 The Animal Industry Board may not develop and implement any identification program that
- 3 conflicts with or supercedes any provision of the state brand laws.
- 4 Section 3. That chapter 40-3 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as
- 5 follows:
- 6 The Animal Industry Board shall promulgate rules pursuant to chapter 1-26 for the
- 7 implementation of identification programs concerning:
- 8 (1) Descriptions of the systems used to implement identification programs;
- 9 (2) Methods and procedures to foster cooperation with industry, other states, and the
- federal government in implementing identification programs;
- 11 (3) Definitions to be used in identification programs;
- 12 (4) Types of identification approved in identification programs;
- 13 (5) Methods for tracking movements of animals included in identification programs;
- 14 (6) Penalties for intentional removal of official identification devices from animals
- within the state or from animals imported into the state;
- 16 (7) Confidentiality of identification records other than those used for mandatory disease
- 17 control and eradication programs;
- 18 (8) Types and species of animals included in identification programs; and
- 19 (9) Criteria for defining programs as voluntary or mandatory.